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For: **MULTIPLE PROCESSOR APPARATUS HAVING A PROTOCOL PROCESSOR  
INTENDED FOR THE EXECUTION OF A COLLECTION OF INSTRUCTIONS  
IN A REDUCED NUMBER OF OPERATIONS**

**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**  
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Assignee has discovered that U.S. Patent 7,028,145 B1 issued and incorrectly states that the term of the patent is extended or adjusted under 35 U.S.C. 154(b) by "0" days. In fact, the term of the patent extension should indicate "769" days for the reasons set forth in the Petition for Extension of Patent Term submitted herewith. Accordingly, Assignee now submits the attached

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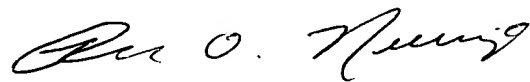
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Certificate of Correction for U.S. Patent to 7,028,145 B1 to correctly state that the term of the patent is extended or adjusted under 35 U.S.C. 154(b) by 769 days.

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